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In re Patent Application of: Hitoshi Matsui

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For: DATA DELIVERY SYSTEM, METHOD

OF DELIVERING DATA, AND

APPARATUS FOR DELIVERING DATA

## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2004 (Paper No. 5), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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